

645—63.13(157) Disinfecting electrical instruments.

63.13(1) *Disinfection of clippers.* Clippers shall be disinfected prior to each use with an EPA-registered, hospital-grade disinfectant with demonstrated bactericidal, fungicidal, and virucidal activity and used according to the manufacturer's instructions.

63.13(2) *Cleaning and disinfection standards for electric file bits.*

- a.* After each use, diamond, carbide, natural and metal bits shall be cleaned by either:
- (1) Using an ultrasonic cleaner; or
 - (2) Immersing each bit in acetone for five to ten minutes.
- b.* Immediately after the cleaning of all visible debris, diamond, carbide, natural and metal bits shall be disinfected by complete immersion in an appropriate disinfectant before use on the next client.
- c.* Buffing bits and chamois shall be cleaned with soap and water or washed with detergent in a dishwasher or washing machine following use on each client.
- d.* Arbor or sanding bands or sleeves are single-use items and shall be discarded immediately after use.